

REMARKS

Claims 1, 3-6, 11 and 12 are all the claims pending in the application.

Claim 2 is canceled as being directed to a non-elected invention. Claims 1 and 3-6 are amended to recite only elected subject matter.

Objection to Claims

Claims 1, 3, 4 and 5 are objected to as containing non-elected subject matter. Claims 6, 11, and 12 are objected to based on their dependency on one of claims 1, 3, 4 and 5.

This objection is overcome by amending the claims to recite only elected subject matter.

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

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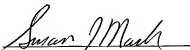
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